



## Document History (Version Control)

Version	Date	Author	Brief Description of Modifications
1.2	1/15/04	OHC	Removed EAPC, which has been redetermined to be a grant program and thus not a covered entity.  Removed PSCB as the program no longer exists.
1.1	01/06/03	OHC	Clarification – CCS Program: DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan  Correction – Genetically Handicapped Persons Program: DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan  Update information on WIC and EAPC
1.0	12/23/02	OHC	Creation



## **DHS Program Areas: Covered Entity Status**

Assessments were conducted for each of the program areas within DHS to determine their status as Covered Entity as defined by HIPAA.

The areas listed below are for the non-Medi-Cal program areas. These are DHS determinations; the counties need to conduct their own review of these programs.

### **Health Information and Strategic Planning / Office of County Health Services**

#### **Children's Treatment Program (CTP)**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan where they administer this program for the counties. It is the Business Associate to the counties that administer the program themselves.

#### **County Medical Services (CMSP)**

DHS is a Business Associate.

#### **Emergency Physician Services (EMSA)**

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### **Prevention Services**

#### **Cancer Detection (BCEDP) and Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program (BCCCP)**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan

#### **Medi-Cal AIDS Waiver Program**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan.



### **Primary Care and Family Health**

#### **California Children Services (CCS)**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan.

#### **Child Health and Disability Program (CHDP)**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Health Plan.

#### **Genetic Disease Branch (GDB)**

DHS is the Covered Entity – Provider.

#### **Genetic Handicapped Persons Program (GHPP)**

DHS is Covered Entity – Health Plan.

#### **Office of Family Planning / Family Planning Access Care and Treatment (FPact)**

DHS is Covered Entity – Health Plan.

#### **Women, Infants and Children (WIC)**

Excluded by HIPAA.